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<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Inventor (s)</u>	<u>Title</u>
3,590,298	06-29-1971	Hudak	Brush Holder Assembly
3,590,299	06-29-1971	Tadworth et al.	Brush Arrangement for Dynamo Electric Machines
4,293,789	10-06-1981	King	Dynamoelectric Machine Brush Rigging
4,464,593	08-07-1984	Kofink	Liquid Cooled Commutation-Type Dynamo Electric Machine
4,694,214	09-15-1987	Stewart, Sr.	Brush Holder for Dynamoelectric Machine
4,952,829	08-28-1990	Armbruster et al.	Rectifier Arrangement
5,283,493	02-01-1994	Hokanson et al.	Cold Air Cooling of Brushes for Motorized Wheels
5,495,134	02-27-1996	Rosenblum	Dynamoelectric Brush Holder

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5,532,536	07-02-1996	Gaspar	Brush Holder Plate for a Direct Current Electric Commutating Motor and an Electric Motor Equipped Therewith
5,610,456	03-11-1997	Wille et al.	Permanent Magnet Direct Current Motor
5,757,095	05-26-1998	Ohmi et al.	Motor Having Air Circulating Coil End
5,821,662	10-13-1998	Kajino et al.	Starter With Brush Cooling Structure

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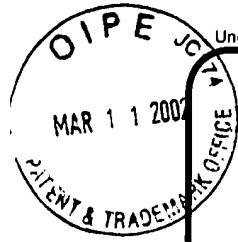
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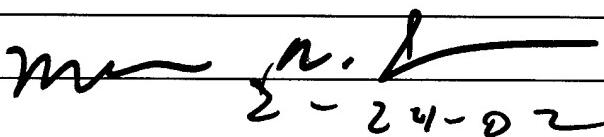
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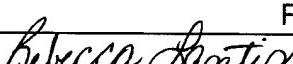
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